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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :
Gerd JONAS, et al. :
SERIAL NO: NEW APPLICATION :
FILED: HEREWITH :
FOR: ABSORBENT INSERTS, METHOD OF PRODUCING THEM AND THEIR USE

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450

SIR:

Prior to examination on the merits please amend the above-identified application as follows.

AMENDMENT

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

The **Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.